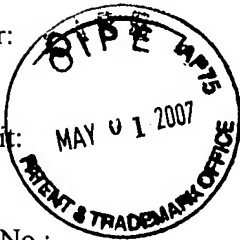


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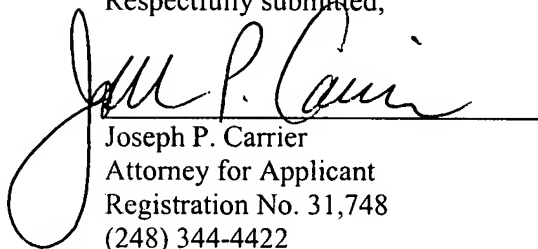
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Applicant notes the following for the record, in relation to the drawings in the application.

- 1). Thirty-eight (38) drawings were submitted for review with the above-mentioned application.
- 2). An Office Action dated 10 January 2007 was received without mention of the drawings.
- 3). Amendment B was submitted on 10 April 2007 with minor changes made to the drawings.
- 4). The Notice of Allowance dated 23 April 2007 was received without formal indication that the drawings were approved by the examiner.
- 5). As no objection was made to the originally filed drawings, it is applicant's understanding and belief that the drawings have been approved.

Favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

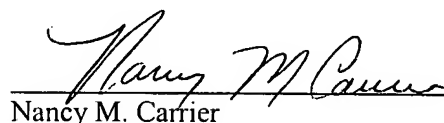
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